

## AN INCREASE IN ACTIVITY IN MINES

Arizona Attracts Much Notice by Means of Extensive Operations.

Bisbee, Ariz., Sept. 24.—The Copper Queen smelter at Douglas now has ten furnaces. During the latter part of the month of August four of these furnaces were shut down, the result, according to statements emanating from the management, of the fall in copper, coupled with the fact that the company now has on hand about \$9,000,000 pounds of Bessemer block which they are unable to place. Then the fact that the annual clean-up and repair season is at hand may also be worthy of mention in the premises. This company has also just completed a reverberatory furnace for the reduction of blue dust which is largely by way of an experiment in the handling of that elusive product.

The Calumet & Arizona in Bisbee has been subjected to slightly greater embarrassment than the Copper Queen by reason of the recent labor agitation. This company is just completing its extension to its power house at its smelter in Douglas while new machine and boiler shops have recently been put in commission.

### Shattuck-Arizona.

The Shattuck-Arizona property is gradually and uniformly improving along standard lines, being the third and youngest regulation producer in the district. The Shattuck-Arizona people after selecting a smelter site and staking off the necessary ground for the plant, suddenly paused in the proceedings about two months ago and Mr. Shattuck in a recent interview is authority for the statement that the matter of beginning the construction of the smelter is waiting the action of the board of directors. The management of the Denn has been paying particular attention to the shipping of ore from the 1,100 level, where stoping was commenced a couple of weeks ago. The shipments are averaging upwards of 50 tons. The shaft has been sunk to the 1,200 mark, and the work of cutting a station at this point will be commenced immediately. It is the intention of the management to run a drift on this level directly beneath those on the 1,000 and 1,100 to determine the extent of the ore body discovered above.

### New Compressor.

At the Shattuck the work of preparing the new compressor to be put into commission is nearing completion, and within the next few days the machinery started, although it will probably be a week before it is in proper running order. The output is maintained at 400 tons of sulphide. Work on the 900 is being given to the opening up of the low-

grade ore body which was encountered there several weeks ago. The winze on the Leo claim, which is being sunk from the 800 level, is still showing ore of high grade. Great interest is still centered in development west of the city, where the North Bisbee Co. has been realizing some very fine results in the nature of ore running better than 19 per cent. The several small companies in that section are developing their properties along conservative and effective lines.

### Ore Strike.

An ore strike, one of the most important in the district for some time, was made when the blasts at the Wolverine tunnel, which has been working toward the drill hole, were fired. Two and a half feet of ore giving a trial assay of 16 per cent copper was the result. For some time ore has been expected to be encountered by Manager Roberts on account of the fact that as he drew nearer the drill hole in which a good body was encountered, the formation gradually dipped and work was carried on in decomposed line and iron, one of the best overlying formations for copper indications known in the mining world.

### At Globe.

For the month of August the Old Dominion will show the greatest monthly production of copper in its history, the output of the smelter being about 3,500,000 pounds, although actual figures are not at hand. The full battery of furnaces has been in operation until recently when a leak caused the temporary closing down of one of them. The railroad tie-up on account of the washouts has caused the mining industry very little, if any, inconvenience, owing to the excellent shape in which the suspension of railroad operations found it. A large supply of fuel, both oil and coal, has been accumulating here for months past, and at the smelter the coke supply would last, for several months, if no more arrived. There is also a large reserve stock of sulphides and concentrates. Development work has progressed without interruption at the Old Dominion and with good results.

### At Safford.

The prosperity of the Duncan section has a new stimulus in the mining industry of the Ash Peak and Carlisle districts. The Ash Peak mines have been shipping ore regularly, but recently the output has been somewhat increased. After a period of five years of inactivity some mines in the Carlisle district have again entered the list of producers and regular shipments of ore are now being made to Clifton smelters. The grade of ore is good and the returns lend encouragement to the owners to push development work.

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## OFFICER IS SHOT BY SECTION FOREMAN

Latter Was Partially Intoxicated and Fired Without Any Provocation.

Tucson, Ariz., Sept. 24.—Last night about 10 o'clock Detective Walters of the Southern Pacific had occasion to put a man named Marshall, a section foreman at Rillito, out of the waiting room at the depot on account of his conduct, Marshall being under the influence of liquor and using indecent language in the presence of women who were waiting in the depot for the trains.

Marshall was in an ugly frame of mind and when Walters left him stated he was from Texas and no one could run it over him. He left and returned shortly with a 45 automatic Colt. Going up to Special Officer Kinkaid, who was on duty at the depot, he made some remark to him about "no officer being able to arrest him," and deliberately pulled his gun and shot Kinkaid through the knee. Kinkaid fell, and before Marshall could fire any shots he was stopped by outsiders, who held him until the officers arrived and took him to the county jail.

Shot Wrong Man. Kinkaid was placed under the care of Dr. Fenner and at the present time it is hard to determine the result of the wound received by him. If the knee cap has been broken, Kinkaid will have a stiff knee the balance of his life. Marshall was very boisterous and when taken to jail did not seem to realize what he had done and made the remark: "I would kill any officer before I would let him beat me up."

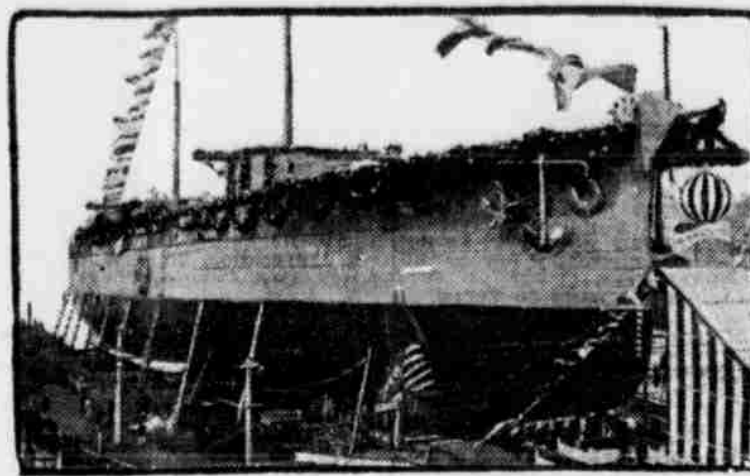
Kinkaid was not present at the time of the trouble between Walters and Marshall and he was taken very much by surprise when Marshall walked up to him and pulled the gun and commenced to shoot.

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Washington, D. C., Sept. 24.—Japan now stands fourth in naval strength among the nations of the world.

Great Britain is first, United States second and Germany third. Japan now also has the largest warship in existence—the great Satsuma, 19,600 tons—and will soon launch a sister ship to the monster, the Aki. These war engines are capable of a speed of 19 knots, and have a main battery of four 12-inch and 12 10-inch guns.

The Nipponese admiralty has tied up every shipbuilding yard in Japan with orders for new ships of war.

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Aki, first class battleship, 19,060 tons,	
Kurama, first class armored cruiser, 14,600 tons,	
Tsukuba, first class armored cruiser, 13,750 tons,	

## BOY SHOTS FINGERS FROM BOTH HANDS

Los Alamos, N. M., Sept. 24.—Mateo Gonzales, an 8-year-old son of Jose Gonzales of Emplazado, N. M., about three miles up the river, accidentally shot himself in both hands, losing from the right hand two fingers and from the left hand three fingers. The man, being very poor, has not the means to take the

boy to town to have the fingers properly amputated, but he says that the boy is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances. It is not known how the accident happened, as the man, being blind, did not see what the boy was about; but it is surmised that he found a steel cartridge in the road and tried to fire it by applying matches, with the result above given.

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